Resolution authorizing a settlement to David Duross for a disputed vehicle damage claim due to an auto accident involving a Franklin County Sheriff's Deputy (Sheriff) (\$500.00)

WHEREAS, October 1, 2011, Franklin County Sheriff's Deputy Shawn Robbins was involved in an auto accident; and

WHEREAS, a vehicle, owned by David Duross was headed south on New Albany Road when he was struck in the rear, while stopped, by a patrol vehicle; and

WHEREAS, both vehicles sustained damage in the accident, and no injuries were reported at the time of the accident; and

WHEREAS, Franklin County will pay for the damage in the amount of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for the damages done to his vehicle in the accident that occurred on October 1, 2011; and David Duross has accepted contingent on approval by the Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, the above described settlement fairly compensates David Duross for the damages to his vehicle; and

WHEREAS, by agreeing to this settlement, neither Deputy Shawn Robbins, the Franklin County Commissioners, nor the Franklin County Sheriff's Office admits to any negligence or liability arising out of the auto accident; and

WHEREAS, the above described settlement, recommended by Franklin County Fleet Management and the Prosecuting Attorney's Office deems it to be in the best interest of the Franklin County Commissioners and the Franklin County Sheriff's Office to settle the vehicle claim for Five Hundred Dollars (500.00); and

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO;

1. That the above-referenced settlement in the amount of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) is in the best interest of the Franklin County Commissioners, Franklin County Sheriff's Office, and the Department of Fleet Management and the same is hereby approved.

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- 2. That upon execution of a full release in favor of the Franklin County Commissioners, Department of Fleet Management, and the Franklin County Sheriff's Office that is satisfactory to the Prosecutor's Office; a warrant be issued payable to David Duross, and forwarded to 6157 Jennis Drive, Westerville, Ohio 43081 as full and final settlement of this matter.
- 3. The attached Purchase Order in the amount of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) is hereby approved.

Prepared by: Albert Smith, Sheriff's Office, Budget Officer

cc: Bill Stehle, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Fleet Management Sheriff, Department of Finance